

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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### MISCELLANEOUS

**CHAIR DOCTOR**—R. H. Stanley expert furniture repairer and upholsterer, carpets beat, re-laid and repaired—bed springs restretched, chairs wired, rubber tires for baby buggies, 248 Fifth. Both phones.

**WORK WANTED** by man and wife, on ranch. John Lee, Talent, 102-41\*

**TO LET**—CONTRACT for hauling 500 cords of wood. Inquire 115 Granite St. 94-41

**FOR TRADE**—Cleared fruit land. Will take automobile. Address M 365, care Tidings. 103-41

**FOR LADIES' TAILORING** and dressmaking call on Mrs. Irish, 34 First avenue. Satisfaction guaranteed. 74-41

**LOOK HERE**—Any time you want a carriage or your garden plowed, see E. N. Smith, 124 Morton St. Phone 464-J. 85-41

**CARPETS AND RUGS** cleaned by vacuum process, without taking up. Good work. J. E. Weaver, 407 North Main St. 104-41

**WANTED**—150 or 200 horses and colts to pasture six miles from Ashland. Address P. D. Blackden, 157 Laurel street, Ashland. 84-41

**LOST**—Gray mare, 1,600 lbs, brand on right front shoulder, fore top clipped. Nothing on except new shoes. J. A. Schoenthal, R. D. 42, Ashland, Ore. Phone 101. 103-41

**PORTLAND RESIDENCE PROPERTY** to exchange for Ashland property. Estimates cheerfully furnished on building and general carpenter work. Phone C. S. Johnson. 61-41

### FOR RENT.

**MODERN FURNISHED bungalow** for rent. Inquire at 93 Granite. 103-41

**FOR RENT**—Housekeeping suite with bath and sleeping porch. Mrs. Lennart, East Side Inn. 104-21

**FOR RENT**—Rooming house in good condition. Fifteen rooms, nine furnished. Reasonable rent. Inquire at 150 First Ave. Phone 405-J. 104-1mo.

**FOR RENT, SALE OR TRADE**—Mountain ranch at Siskiyou, on toll road. Address owner, D. L. Brace, 808 Board of Trade, Portland, Ore. 104-21\*

**FOR RENT**—Furnished housekeeping rooms; ground floor; hot and cold water; bath. Call at millinery store, Second street, near Hargadine. 56-41

**FOR RENT**—Thoroughly modern residence, 8 rooms and sleeping porch, bath, etc.; slightly view; large lot; all conveniences; lots of fruit. Scenic Drive, facing Church St. E. J. Wilber. 102-41

**BICYCLES FOR RENT**—New and second-hand bicycles for sale cheap. Bicycle repairing, prompt service, good work, low prices. All kinds of tires and supplies at cut prices. Eastern Supply Co., 104 North Main. 77-41

### FOR SALE.

**FOR SALE**—The complete furniture, fixtures, bedding, etc., of 18 rooms. Cheap. Address P. O. Box L. 74-41

**\$2,500**—5 1/4 acres, new bungalow, cost \$1,000; barn, 21 bearing fruit trees, city water for irrigating. Phone 360-J. 77-41

**FOR SALE**—Acreage located on the Boulevard, near railroad. Call on or address Mrs. C. W. McKibben, Route 1, Ashland. 82-41

**FOR SALE**—One span mules, weight 2,400 lbs.; 1 light wagon, new; 1 two-seated surry. Inquire at 76 Lincoln St. or phone 409 party R. 104-21\*

**TIDINGS WANT ADS** are little real estate salesmen. A 50-cent want ad will put you in touch with somebody who wants the property you have for sale. Try it.

**FOR SALE**—Single harness \$7 and up; with collar and hames, \$10. Made in Ashland; our own make. Don't buy factory made harness. Eastern Supply Co., 104 North Main. 77-41

**RESTAURANT** with confectionery and light groceries for sale on account of sickness, at a bargain. Located 492 A St. Doing a good business. It will pay you to investigate. C. B. Stark. 98-41

**FOR SALE**—Registered A. J. C. C. bull, 5 years old; kind disposition; vigorous, with a long line of noted ancestors; now being used by W. F. Lillard of Leona, Ore. Owned by Charles Miller, Sr., of Jefferson, Ore. 104-1mo.

**FOR SALE**—Home near high school; acre lot; six rooms, bath, sleeping porch, electric lights, chicken houses. Easy terms. Also two lots, corner Montana and Taylor. Horse, surrey, spring wagon, harness. Cheap. Phone 272-R. Call 100 Lincoln street. 75-41

**FURNITURE FOR SALE**—Dressers, chiffoniers, rugs, dining table and chairs, large ice box, gas range, heaters, etc., etc. All in first-class condition. Exceptional opportunity for bargains. Anything in household line. Call at once. E. J. Wilber, Scenic Drive, corner Church St. 102-41

### EGGS AND POULTRY.

**LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS** for sale. Finest flock in the state. 15 for \$1.50. Wm. F. Kaplinger, Salem, Ore. 84-3mo.\*

**Star Laundry and French Dry Cleaning Company.** Phone 64.

## Talent Meat Market

F. T. Gayer, Prop.

### CHOICE MEATS

Tel. 370-J.

## For Sale or Trade!

### TEN ACRES

In alfalfa and fruit. Bungalow and all new buildings; sub-irrigated; both well and spring water. Address owner.

## BROWN BROS.

Talent, Oregon.

## BARGAINS!

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2 large lots, new bungalow.

FOR SALE—6-room modern cottage, furnished, close in. Large lot with fruit. Small payment down, balance like rent.

Some good snaps in ranches and small tracts. Call or address

## Ranse Rouse

324 LIBERTY ST.

## To the Homeseeker

We Have the Cheapest and the Best Bargains to Offer You in Land

A good homestead relinquishment that is worth while, 1/4 mile from postoffice and railroad station, 1 mile from school. 160 acres of land; 35 in cultivation, balance of land oak timber. Three-room house, good stock barn, one hay barn, good team and farm implements, and household furniture. For quick sale, \$1,200 cash.

160 acres good farm land; 45 acres in cultivation, balance timber. Good frame house, 4 rooms; one barn 30x40, another one 18x20 feet; family orchard in bearing; small fruit and berries. Price \$2,500. Terms.

These farms are adjoining and will make a fine stock ranch or a dairy ranch, as there is plenty of good spring water on either place.

## M. C. Edgington

73 OAK STREET.

## Beaver Realty Co.

REAL ESTATE-LOANS-INSURANCE

108-acre farm, woodland, partly good for orchard when cleared, in good orchard location, stream of water, small buildings; 2 1/2 miles from railroad. Wood enough to pay for the place. Price, \$35 per acre.

120 acres of land in southwest Texas, under ditch, no buildings, to trade for Ashland home.

Wanted to list—Good ranches, large and small, to trade for Ashland property.

Lots for sale in choice addition to town, from \$75 up.

Also rooming house of 14 rooms; 13 beds fully equipped and four stoves; in good location. \$350.

Several good business propositions for sale, including grocery and confectionery.

For sale—An undivided half interest in 15 acres of land near Ashland. Inquire for particulars.

Several places with large lots, some new bungalows, for sale on easy terms, with from \$50 to \$500 for first payment.

For particulars inquire of the

## Beaver Realty Company

ASHLAND, OREGON.

### EXPLANATION TO GOMEZ.

President Taft Gives Assurance Intervention is Not Intended.

Feeling assured that President Gomez has misunderstood the purpose of the American government in despatching the large naval force now on its way to Key West, the state department, after having instructed American Minister Beaupre at Havana to make plain to the Cuban government the purpose of the movement, has now left to the discretion of Colonel Karmann, commanding the marine forces of the cruiser Prairie, the extent to which the marines shall be employed.

It is believed that as soon as Gomez is aware of the fact that no sinister purpose is behind the American action, he will no longer object.

It is thoroughly appreciated here that the Cuban president must assume a rather resentful attitude toward what might appear an invasion of the island, lest the patriotism of the Cubans be stirred to resistance. Should he persist in his objection, however, the American naval commanders will not remain indifferent to the demand of Americans for protection where it is clear the Cuban government cannot give it.

At Lebanon a team ran away, fell head first into a turntable and then turned over on their backs. To extricate the horses it was necessary to tie their feet together and lift them out.

The Tidings is for sale at W. M. Poley's Drug Store, 17 East Main St.

P. A. S. FRANKLIN.  
The American Manager of the  
White Star Steamship Company.



Photo by American Press Association.

### MOVING THE PIANO.

Changing Its Position in a Room Will Affect Its Tone.

It is said that the very act of moving a piano around in a room is sufficient to disturb its tonal qualities. When a piano has been moved into the position for which it is intended, it is accustomed to the temperature and the drafts prevalent, it should be tuned, experts say. Any change of temperature or movement may cause the strings to contract or expand slightly with the resultant loss or gain of half a semitone. Changing the position of a piano is said to have almost the same effect as constant playing, only in the latter case the constant action of the hammers against the strings tends to loosen their adjustment and the instrument runs out of tune.

Sea air has also a detrimental effect on pianos. Here again contraction and expansion of the wires are the chief causes of disturbance. Pianos constructed for the tropics are much more strongly built than those used in temperate climates. Wood that is not liable to warp and crack is used in the sounding boards; otherwise they have to be brass bound and stayed to prevent splitting.—New York Sun.

### Gluttons of the Seas.

The pike's reputation for cruelty and voraciousness is such that it has been popularly dubbed the "water wolf." It is probable, however, that many species of sea fish are equally, if not a great deal more, rapacious. Large dogfish, congers, pollack, cod and bass are especially ferocious, while halibut will very often seize and kill other large fish. An English angler was "playing" a large conger when a huge halibut swam up to and savagely bit at it—a proceeding that cost the halibut its own life, for on its making for the wounded conger a second time the boatman contrived to gaff and haul it aboard. There have been many examples of pike being found dead, choked by their own species, and these fish not infrequently attack another pike that has been hooked by a fisherman.

### Arsenic Eaters.

The average Englishman has a horror of arsenic, but the peasantry in Austria-Hungary and other parts of eastern Europe eat it habitually, believing that it gives plumpness and beauty to the figure and longness of breath. Peddlers sell white arsenic about the countryside quite without restriction. The quantities taken are small, and so long as the doses are regular no illness results. Once they are stopped, however, symptoms of arsenical poisoning at once become manifest. Mountaineers in eastern Europe often take a dose of arsenic before commencing a climb, and it is also customary to give it to horses and dogs to give brightness and gloss to their skins.—London Chronicle.

### Meteors.

The frequency of meteors is at its highest toward the end of July and the beginning of August. During the first six months of the year the total number of meteors observed on a clear, moonless night is only about six an hour. At the beginning of July the frequency increases and attains its maximum, sixty-nine an hour, on Aug. 10. The mean for the entire year is twenty-four meteors an hour.—London Standard.

### Progressing.

"I understand your boy Josh is experimenting on the lines of perpetual motion."  
"Yes," replied Farmer Cornstossel. "And I feel some encouraged about it. I thought for awhile that the only thing Josh was going to take in was perpetual rest."—Washington Star.

### A Resemblance.

She—In a way, getting married is like using the telephone. He—How so?  
She—One doesn't always get the party one wants.—Boston Transcript.

Views of Optimist and Pessimist.  
Howell—Fortune knocks once at every man's door. Powell—While misfortune keeps on knocking.—Judge's Library.

## ENGLAND'S BIG BOAT RACE.

Origin of the Annual Match Between Oxford and Cambridge.

In the year 1829 two university eights met in a rowing match from Hambledon lock to Henley bridge. One crew wore dark striped jerseys and black hats, and the other appeared in white shirts, wearing a pink necktie. The race was rowed in slow, heavy boats, built with high sides, and square oars propelled the crews along.

No enthusiastic crowds lined the banks of the river all along the course, and no evening papers, giving the result of the race, sold in hundreds of thousands all over the country when the race was over. Yet this was the beginning of the most popular racing event in the rowing world—the Oxford and Cambridge boat race.

The boats used by the eights in those days were clumsy and uncomfortable. Sliding seats were unknown, and the craft were weighed down with heavy metal keels. Outriggers—the extended parts of a boat's gunwale, that give a greater leverage—were also unheard of, for it was not until 1846 that they were introduced by the university crews. In 1857 keelless boats were adopted, and sliding seats were used in them in 1873.

Oxford did not adopt the dark blue that is so well known today until 1836, when Cambridge appeared in Eton colors.—Pearson's Weekly.

### SWASTIKA CHARMS.

They Must Be Pointed the Right Way to Bring Good Luck.

One of the lucky charms most generally worn recently was the swastika. Superstitious wearers would do well to examine their reproductions of it and make sure that they are correct in form and material, for Sir George Birdwood, an authority on Indian matters, has been giving some interesting and alarming facts concerning this ancient and mystic symbol.

The right handed swastika—that is, the one whose transom or arm points to the right—is the symbol of the sun and of light, of health and happiness and other good qualities, and it alone is lucky. It should be fashioned only of gold and colored (if enameled on any other metal) only red, the color of the east, or yellow, the color of the south.

The left handed swastika is the symbol of the moon and of moonlight, of all darkness and supernatural terrors, of all mortal diseases and disgraces and other forms of ill omen.

It should be formed only of silver or colored blue, green, white or black if it is expected to perform its work in a thoroughly businesslike unlovely way.—London Cor. New York Sun.

### His Incurable Disease.

The late John Hay had been ailing one time, and a friend made bold to ask what the trouble was. "I am suffering from an incurable disease," Mr. Hay replied with due gravity. Delicacy prevented the friend from making further inquiry, but he told the story to acquaintances, and the report soon spread through Washington that a deadly disease held the secretary of state within its grasp. At last an intimate acquaintance determined to ascertain the nature of the secretary's ailment, and, meeting the latter one day, he said: "I have been told that you are suffering from an incurable disease. Is it true?" "It is," said Mr. Hay in a sad tone. "What is the incurable disease?" asked the insistent acquaintance. "Old age," said Mr. Hay, with a chuckle.

### The Word "Strike."

The earliest use of the word "strike" in the sense of stopping work occurs in the London Chronicle for September, 1765, in connection with a coal strike. This publication reports a great suspension of labor in the Northumberland coal fields, and the colliers are stated to have "struck out" for a higher bounty before entering into their usual yearly "bond." The time honored illustration of profitless labor, "carrying coals to Newcastle," appears to have received its first slap in the face during this strike. The Chronicle reports that "several pokes of coal were brought from Durham to Newcastle by one of the common carriers and sold on the sand hill for ninepence a poke, by which he cleared sixpence a poke."—London Chronicle.

### Love.

We are oft deceived in love, and oftener wounded, and oftener unhappy; but, after all, we love, and when we stand on the threshold of the tomb and turn about to look back upon the ground we have traversed it will be well if we can say, "I have suffered often, I have been deceived many times, but I have loved. It is I who have lived, therefore, and not a dream being created out of my pride and my weariness."—George Sand.

### Little Drops of Water.

"Did they make you recite 'Little Drops of Water' when you were a child?"  
"Yes," replied Colonel Stillwell. "And it didn't stop there. When I grew up they tried to insist on my adopting them as a beverage."—Washington Star.

### Admit the Wrong.

A man should never be ashamed to own he has been in the wrong. It is but saying in other words that he is wiser today than yesterday.

### Experienced.

Manager—Could you do the landlord in "The Lady of Lyons?" Actor—Well, I should think so. I've done a good many.—London Tatler.

## LIST OF FAIR PREMIUMS

Prizes Offered By the Civic Improvement Club for Roses and Strawberries in Coming Carnival.

The following is the complete list of prizes offered by the Ladies' Civic Improvement Club for the best roses and strawberries on display at the coming carnival in June:

### Section A.

Class 1—Includes all white roses, not less than four of each variety. First premium \$2.50, second \$1.

Class 2—Includes all red roses. First \$2.50, second \$1.

Class 3—Includes all pink roses. First \$2.50, second \$1.

Class 4—Includes all yellow roses. First \$2.50, second \$1.

### Section B.

Class 1—Includes all cut flowers (roses excepted), not less than 12 of each variety. First \$1.50, second \$1.

Class 2—Includes all varieties of sweet peas, not less than 12 in one variety and 24 if mixed. First \$1.50, second \$1.

### Section C.

Class 1—Includes all potted plants in bloom. First \$1.50, second \$1.

Class 2—Includes all ferns and ornamental plants in pots. First \$1.50, second \$1.

### Section D.

Class 1—Strawberries. Ten to One, best crate. First premium \$3, second \$2.

Class 2—Clark's Seedling, best crate. First \$3, second \$2.

Class 3—Oregon Improved, best crate. First \$3, second \$2.

Class 4—Senator Dunlap, best crate. First \$3, second \$2.

Class 5—Glen Mary, best crate. First \$3, second \$2.

Class 6—Goodell, best crate. First \$3, second \$2.

### Section E.

Class 7—Best plate of any variety, not less than 20 to the plate. First \$1.50, second \$1.

Class 8—Display on plates, not less than three varieties, 20 or more to plate. First \$2, second \$1.50.

All premium berries to become the property of the Civic Improvement Club, to dispose of as they see fit.

A feature of great interest is the proposed baby show at which babies under two years of age are to be exhibited. Mothers who think they have the finest babies in the world, or the fattest or the jolliest or the cunningest, are requested to plan on having their babies present. There will be various prizes announced.

### Fire Alarm System.

We print below the city fire alarm signals. Readers of the Tidings are urged to cut out this slip and paste it in the telephone directory or in some other conspicuous place. A reprint of the signals will appear from time to time in this paper:

### CITY FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

Fire Chief, phone 74.

Chief of Police, phone 160.

Residence, phone 410-J.

2-6 Bells

Cor. Main and Wimer streets.

2-8 Bells

City Hall.

3-5 Bells

Cor. Granite and Nutley streets.

4-6 Bells

Cor. Main and Gresham streets.

5-3 Bells

Cor. Iowa and Fairview streets.

4-1 Bells

Cor. Fourth and A streets.

7-3 Bells

Cor. Sixth and C streets.

Place for sale? House for rent? Want anything? A few lines in the Tidings' want columns will do the business.

Telephone your social items to Miss Hawley between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. each day. Call phone 39.

The Hub for shoes.

North Bend has offered 200 acres of water-level land to the S. P. free of charge for terminal purposes.

Send for samples of materials for Base Ball Uniforms. We outfit all National and American League teams. Copy of Spalding's most interesting game for the spectators.

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156 Geary Street, San Francisco

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